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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION FOR PATENT

OF: Peter Weinhold et al.

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APPLICATION: 10/615,148

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ART UNIT: 2837

FOR: ENGINE EXHAUST MUFFLER
WITH GUIDE VANES IMPARTING A
SUCCESSIVELY ALTERNATING
SPIRAL SWIRL GAS FLOW

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August 1, 2005

Dear Sir:

1) Transmitted herewith are:

- a) Response (23 pages) to the Office Action of April 1, 2005;
- b) Term Extension Request; and
- c) Credit Card Payment Form (PTO-2038).

2) No additional claim fee is required, as shown below.

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Respectfully Submitted,



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